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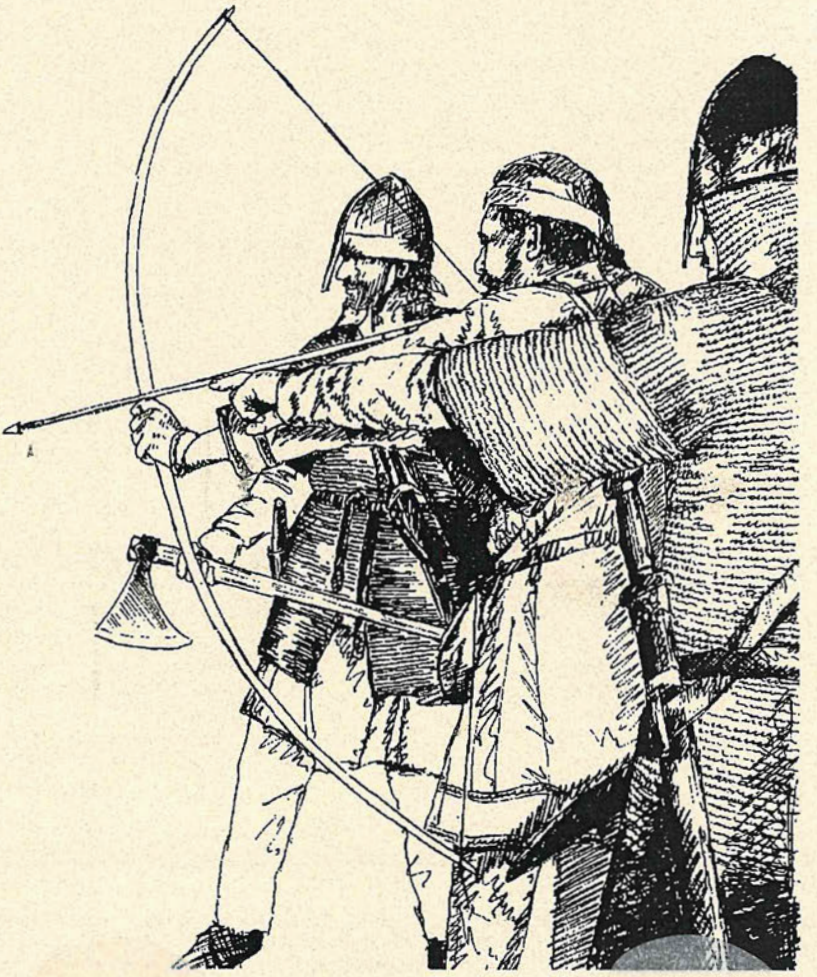

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Submission deadline is the 20th of the month for event announcements, articles, and artwork. Officers reports are due at officer's meeting.

from the Baron and Baroness

Greetings Mighty Unser Hafen!

We had a great time at Estrella war and were made proud by the populace of the Barony who participated with us. Congratulations to Sir Zachariah who was knighted on the fighting field, and to his Lordship Cugan for becoming this year's Corona Graminea and truly proving himself to be the "Pride of Unser Hafen" on the fields of Estrella. Thank you to Lady Elissent for coordinating the baronial food plan, and to everyone who helped set-up, maintain, and tear down the baronial camp.

March brings us many exciting activities. March 5th we will be traveling to Crown Tournament in the Barony of Fontaine Dans Sable. March 26th our barony will be hosting Luck of Hero's event where we will have a variety of sports, games, and gambling, as well as food and dancing. We encourage everyone to come, bring friends, and to help out if they can. The Baron's Whim tourney on Sunday the 6th will be sword and buckler for both heavies and lights. We also encourage people to attend guild gatherings on Thursday evenings to work on projects, sing, and socialize. This month on the 10th our baronial revel at Ram's Keep will feature instruction on Irish dances. We would also ask people to mark their calendars for Quest for Camelot May 19th- 22nd. We cannot express how wonderful the hosts are and how much fun this event is. More information is available on the web page at www.enetis.net/~alyot/sca/quest2004.html.

In service to the Dream,

Their Excellencies

Alexander and Mardanah

Baronial progres

March 26th Luck of Heros' Unser Hafen
April 30th April Moos Bofarrach
19 - 22 MAY 2005 : Quest for Camelot NorthShield
June 4th Unser Hafen Champions event.
July 1-4th Glory UH

From the Minister of A&S

Greetings Mighty Populace of Unser Hafen, Bofarrach, and Ram's Keep!

March is upon us and with it a new kind of event. "The Luck of Hero's" looks to be an interesting event with a little bit of everything for just about everyone. I would call upon all who are interested in having a good time to try your hand at a variety of board games inside and , if the weather cooperates, outdoor type activities as well. There might even be some dancing later on in the evening!

The next regularly scheduled A&S class at fighter practice will be a leather sewing class hosted by yours truly on Sunday, March 6th at about 4 P.M. in the field house. If you want to know how to sew leather together, pray attend! For those of you who are interested, Kingdom A&S competition is just around the corner in April. If you want to attend, remember, time grows short if you want to get your entries together.

Have Fun, Make Stuff!

ThL Sean Ui Neill the Staffmaker

From the Chonicler

I have moved. My new address has replaced the old in all the usual places in the Tosspot. To add it in yet another place, it is 7133 Brittany Drive, Fort Collins, CO 80525. My phone and email are the same.

I would, as I always do, encourage those who subscribe to submit their creative endeavors to The Tosspot for publication. I would also encourage the officers and subscribers to encourage others to sign up for a Tosspot subscription.

In service to the Barony,

Robin of Bristol

luck of heroes

Unser Hafen
March 26, 2005

Old Larimer County Fair Grounds, McMillan Bldg, 700 S Railroad Ave, Loveland, CO 80537
Opens at 12:00 PM and Closes at 9:30 PM
Site Fee: Adults $12, Children (5-12) $3, Under 6 Free ($3 Surcharge for non-members over 12)
Feast Fee: Adults $6, Children (5-12) $3, Under 6 Free. Site is Dry
Make checks payable to SCA-Unser Hafen

As winter loosens its grip upon us, Their Excellencies have decreed a day of celebration! Come one, come all to a day of games, gambling, dancing and sport. Prove yourself a hero as you compete in races, thrown weapons, archery, and other physical challenges. Test the agility of your mind with cards, chess, and gambling, or join a quest! There will be a buffet feast served throughout the day by several of the Barony's wonderful cooks, and even more gaming and dancing to fill the right hours. Come join the revelry of spring and test your luck - after all, there is more to being a hero than swinging a sword.

Schedule

12:00	Site Opens
12:30	Buffet Opens
1:00-4:00	Outdoor Games
4:00-6:00	Indoor Games and Gambling
6:00	Court (or at the whim of any royalty)
7:00	Dancing and Gambling
9:30-ish	Site Closes

Directions
From I-25, take exit 255. West 5 miles. Go North on Roosevelt Ave. ½ mile and cross the railroad tracks. The site entrance is on the East side of the road.

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List of Events

March 12-13
Crown Tourney - Location to be Announced
March 14-20
Gulf Wars XIV (Kingdom of Meridies)
March 26
Luck of Herors (Unser Hafen) Juliana 970-581-9118
Sworded Affair (al-Barran) Rudger 505-259-0645
April 1-3
Carnivale (Caer Galen) Frederigo 303-766-1884
April 2
Feast of Fools (Tyger's Keep) Angharat 719-339-6319
April 30
April Moos (Bofarrach) Theresa 720-810-1500

Winter Fighter Practice
Every Sunday, 2-5PM at the CSU Fieldhouse
No garb necessary

Fighter Practice, Baronial Gathering, and Baron's Whim Tourney
Instead of Barons whim in Dec. we will be having a war practice.
Join us on the 1st Sunday of every month for heavy and light fighting, A&S meeting/class/demo, marshall arts class, Baron's whim tourney, announcements and/or brief court, then we all go out to eat! Garb encouraged
2-5PM at the CSU Fieldhouse
A&S Activity and Instructor
Marshal Arts Class and Instructor -How to be a field marshal

Baronial Guild Gathering
Join us the 1st, 3rd, and 4th Thursday of the month for armoring, sewing, thrown weapons, cooking, blacksmithing, metalworking, leather working, bowyering, movies, and other arts and crafts. Bring a project to work on or join in on a baronial project! The 3rd Thursday will include an officer's meeting at 7PM open to the public. No garb necessary
7-10PM at Thorfinn and Rosalind's

Baronial Revel
Join us at Ramskeep the 2nd Thursday of every month for dance practice, indoor gaming, A&S salon, announcements and/or brief court. Garb encouraged
7-9PM at CSU Student Center
A&S Salon Topic and Instructor - TBA

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sunday	monday	tuesday	wedne
		1	BF Practice 6:30-8:30 PM Centennial E'e
6 Fighter/Fencer Practice 2-5 PM CSU Fieldhouse	7	8	BF Practice 6:30-8:30 PM Centennial Ele
13 Fighter/Fencer Practice 2-5 PM CSU Fieldhouse	14 Gulf Wars	15 Gulf Wars BF Officer's Meeting	Gulf Wars BF Practice 6:30-8:30 PM Centennial Ele
20 Gulf Wars Fighter/Fencer Practice 2-5 PM CSU Fieldhouse	21	22	BF Practice 6:30-8:30 PM Centennial Ele
27 Fighter/Fencer Practice 2-5 PM CSU Fieldhouse	28 24th BF Populace 7-9 pm Lady Elizabeth's	29	BF Practice 6:30-8:30 PM Centennial Ele

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esday	thursday	friday	saturday
2 em Greeley	3 UH Guild Gathering 7-10 PM Thorfinn & Rosalind's	4	5 Crown Tourney
9 em Greeley	10 Rams Keep Dance Revel 7-9pm at CSU Student Center	11	12
16 em Greeley	17 Tosspot Articles Due UH Guild Gathering & Officer's Meeting 7-10 PM Thorfinn & Rosalind's	18 Gulf Wars	19 Gulf Wars
23 em Greeley	24 UH Guild Gathering 7-10 PM Thorfinn & Rosalind's	25	26 Luck of Heros Sworded Affair
30 em Greeley	31		

april 2005

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3 UH Gathr Fighter/ Fencing P	4	5	6 BF Gather	7 UH Guild Gathering	8	9 Kingdom A&S
10 Fighter/ Fencing P	11	12	13 BF Gather	14 Baronial Revel	15	16
17 Fighter/ Fencing P	18	19	20 BF Gather	21 Off. Meet UH Guild Gathering	22	23
24 Fighter/ Fencing P	25 BF Pop.	26	27 BF Gather	28 UH Guild Gathering	29	30 April Moos

may 2005 (as xl)

1 UH Gathr Fighter/ Fencing P	2	3	4 BF Gather	5 UH Guild Gathering	6	7 Mountain Mayhem
8 Fighter/ Fencing P	9	10	11 BF Gather	12 Baronial Revel	13	14 Coronation
15 Fighter/ Fencing P	16	17	18 BF Gather	19 Off. Meet UH Guild Gathering	20	21 Quest for Camelot
22 Fighter/ Fencing P	23	24	25 BF Gather	26 UH Guild Gathering	27	28 Grand Outlandish Crossrds 7
29 Fighter/ Fencing P	30 BF Pop.	31				

Please report any schedule changes or mistakes to the Chronicler, Lord Robin (gandalf@fcac.com)

Sworded Affaire

Barony of al-Barran

Moriarty Civic Center
202 Broadway, Moriarty, NM 87035
March 26th, 2005
Site Opens 900am and Closes 1000pm
Site is Discreetly Wet

In the middle of the 16th century, the great Spanish combat masters such as Marozzo and Agrippa set the stage for rapier combat which would follow in later decades. Thus, Sworded Affaire this year will be centered around Spain in the 16th century. There will be three rapier classes and three arts and science classes Also, we will be featuring the customary melees, as well as the Captain of the Silver Tynes Tournament. And don't forget, pickup fights will be taking place all day long.

In the evening, we will have a wonderful Spanish themed feast. Bring out your best late period garb and your cheesiest Spanish accent, and bask in the ambience of Renaissance Spain, where swordsmanship and chivalry went hand-in-hand.

Clean up those blades, polish your boots, and make sure those plumes are big and foofy. There will be nary a dull moment all day long. Fight, feast, learn a thing or two, and look good doing it. What more can you ask of an event?
Feast Menu

In fitting with the theme for this year's Sworded Affaire, the majority of this menu has been taken from the early 16th Century Spanish cookbook, Ruperto de Nola's Libro de Cozina. The book includes many of the same types of recipes for meats, fish, and savory and sweet pies that are seen in the cookbooks from England, France and Italy in the same period. It also contains a number of sauces, pottages and other recipes that are totally unique to Spain. One item that is worth noting is that nearly ALL of the recipes used advise the addition of cinnamon and sugar to the finished product. In the interest of modern palates, we have left these spices out of our finished recipes, though the spices will be available to add for those who wish to experience the period version of the dish.

On the tables:

Bread with marjoram & shallot butter
Warm Clarea de Agua (spiced honey water) will be available

First Course:

Potaje de carnero adobado que se dice janete de carnero
(Lamb cooked with bacon, onion, pears, quince, honey and almond milk)

Berenjenas en cazuela
(Aubergines cooked with sweet onion, parmesan, eggs and coriander)

Second Course:

Pollo Andaluz
(Chicken cooked with Coriander, onions, eggs and saffron)

Potaje moderno
(Spinach and chard cooked in vegetable broth with parsley, cinnamon, ginger and pepper)

Third Course:

Caldo lardero de puerco salvaje
(Pork roast and bacon cooked with onion in red wine, cinnamon, ginger and pepper)

Arroz del azafrán
(Rice cooked with saffron)

We would also like to challenge the rapier community (as well as all other good gentles attending the event) to a dessert competition! (We will certainly give special attention to entries that fit with the 16th century Spanish theme)

Lists of all ingredients will be available for those with special dietary requirements or restrictions, and recipes will be posted on-site the day of the event. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Don Coinneach MacPherson
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A&S Class Coordinator: Mistress Cailte (Kathleen Roberts)

Heavy Fighting Coordinator: Lord Badai Altai (Ray Ortiz)

Feast Coordinator: Don Coinneach MacPherson (Ken Hargis)

Directions to the Site: Take your best route to eastbound 1-40 in Albuquerque, New Mexico. Head towards Moriarty (roughly 30 miles east of Albuquerque) and take exit 196 and head right at the stop sign, then go right again at the first stoplight (west). After .2 miles, make a left on Broadway (next to the post office). After .2 miles, the Civic Center is left across the street from City Hall.

April Moo's

Saturday, April 30, 2005
Canton of Bofharrach

Location: Island Grove `Bunkhouse'
Address: 501 North 14th Avenue, Greeley, Colorado 80631
Site is dry.
Open/Close: 9-9
Site Fee: $6.50 per head (A $3 surcharge applies for any non-member)

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The winter has cleared and the cows are once again grazing upon the land, come join us as we enjoy the fresh spring and the coming of summer.

Notes: Due to fire code, there are only 75 slots available, so please, get your reservations in, Also, please include with your reservations: SCA name, Mundane name, Member Number, Phone Number and Email address. Checks shall be payable to SCA - Canton of Bofharrach

Directions:

From I-25
Take the Highway 34 exit east. Go to 35th Avenue. Turn left and go to 10th Street. Turn right, go to 14th Avenue, turn left and 14th Avenue takes you right into Island Grove Regional Park. Once in the park, Take a left and keep going until you reach the Bunkhouse (If your in the river, you went too far)
From Highway 85
Go north into Greeley, where Highway 85 turns into 8th Avenue. Go to 5th Street, turn left. Go west to 14th Avenue, turn right and 14th Avenue takes you right into Island Grove Regional Park. Once in the park, Take a left and keep going until you reach the Bunkhouse (If your in the river, you went too far)

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